

Fiscal Estimate - 2015 Session

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LRB Number 15-3570/3		Introduction Number AB-0953	
Description Prosecution decisions following deaths involving law enforcement officers			
Fiscal Effect			
State:			
<input type="checkbox"/> No State Fiscal Effect			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate			
<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Existing Revenues	
<input type="checkbox"/> Create New Appropriations		<input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs - May be possible to absorb within agency's budget	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs	
Local:			
<input type="checkbox"/> No Local Government Costs			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate			
1. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Costs		3. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Revenue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory		<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	
2. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Costs		4. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Revenue	
<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory		<input type="checkbox"/> Permissive <input type="checkbox"/> Mandatory	
5. Types of Local Government Units Affected			
<input type="checkbox"/> Towns		<input type="checkbox"/> Village	
<input type="checkbox"/> Counties		<input type="checkbox"/> Others	
<input type="checkbox"/> School Districts		<input type="checkbox"/> WTCS Districts	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cities			
Fund Sources Affected			
<input type="checkbox"/> GPR <input type="checkbox"/> FED <input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> PRS <input type="checkbox"/> SEG <input type="checkbox"/> SEGS			
Affected Ch. 20 Appropriations			
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Fiscal Estimate Narratives

DA 2/29/2016

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Assumptions Used in Arriving at Fiscal Estimate

Current law requires an investigation following a death that involves a law enforcement officer. The protocol requires that a report be provided to the District Attorney (DA), and s/he determines whether or not to prosecute the officer.

This bill requires that a report be provided to the chief judge of the judicial administrative district, rather than the DA, and the judge must appoint a special prosecutor who will determine whether or not to prosecute the officer.

Prosecutors expect this bill, should it be enacted, to place a significant financial burden on the DA program's limited Supplies & Services budget, which pays the costs associated with special prosecutors as well as numerous other State agency assessments placed upon the DA program.

Due to the uncertainty about how many occurrences there may be of a death which involves a law enforcement officer, a fiscal estimate is indeterminate.

Long-Range Fiscal Implications

Prosecutors anticipate that this bill, if enacted, will have a major long-term effect on the program's Supplies & Services budget. Due to uncertainty regarding the potential number of deaths which involve a law enforcement officer, a fiscal estimate is indeterminate.